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NOTE VERBALE DATED 4 MARCH 1993 FROM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

The Secretary-General of the United Nations presents his compliments to the President of the Security Council and, in accordance with paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 781 (1992), has the honour to bring to his attention further information received by UNPROFOR regarding apparent violations of the ban on military flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Between 1 and 3 March 1993, there appears to have been one flight of rotary wing aircraft in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina other than those exempted in accordance with operative paragraph 1 of resolution 781 (1992) or approved by UNPROFOR in accordance with operative paragraph 3 of that resolution. Details as to the time and the itinerary of this flight are attached as an annex to this note verbale.

All confirmed violations were immediately protested by UNPROFOR to the party concerned.

Annex

Information on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina not authorized by the United Nations Protection Force

(1-3 March 1993)

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, speed altitude
462	1 Mar.	unknown	10.30	A Gazelle helicopter was reported landing at Banja Luka Military Hospital airfield at 10.30Z. The Bosnian Serb liaison officer reported to UNMOs that the purpose of the flight was to recover fuses for the aircraft from Banja Luka Hospital. There were two crew members on board and the aircraft was unarmed. The flight was not approved by UNPROFOR and is therefore a violation of the No Fly Zone.	Unknown
				[2-3 March: no violations reported]	